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FRANCIS W. HAY.

Johnstown, March 7, 1867.-6m.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES! *TO CASH BUYERS!*

AT THE EBENSBURG

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The undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Ebensburg and the public generally that he has made a great reduction in prices to CASH BUYERS. My stock will consist, in part, of *Cooking, Parlor and Heating Stoves*, of the most popular kinds; *Tinware* of every description, of my own manufacture; *Hardware* of all kind, such as Locks, Screws, Butt Hinges, Table Hinges, Shutter Hinges, Bolts, Iron and Nails, Window Glass, Putty, Table Knives and Forks, Carving Knives and Forks, Meat Cutters, Apple Parers, Pen and Pocket Knives in great variety, Scissors, Shears, Razors and Strops, Axes, Hatchets, Hammers, Boring Machines, Augers, Chissels, Planes, Compasses, Squares, Files, Rasps, Anvils, Vises, Wrenches, Rip, Panel and Cross-Cut Saws, Chains of all kinds, Shovels, Spades, Scythes and Snaths, Rakes, Forks, Sleigh Bells, Shoe Lasts, Pegs, Wax Bristles, Clothes Wringers, Grind Stones, Patent Molasses Gates and Measures, Lumber Sticks, Horse Nails, Horse Shoes, Cast Steel, Rifles, Shot Guns, Revolvers, Pistols, Cartridges, Powder, Caps, Lead, &c., Odd Stove Plates, Grates and Fire Bricks, Well and Cistern Pumps and Tubing; *Harness and Saddlery Ware* of all kind; *Wooden and Willow Ware* in great variety; Carbon Oil and Oil Lamps, Fish Oil, Lard Oil, Linseed Oil, Lubricating Oil, Rosin, Tar, Glassware, Paints, Varnishes, Turpentine, Alcohol, &c.

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Ebensburg, Feb. 28, 1867.-tf.

O. K.

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FARM FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at private sale his FARM, situated in Cambria township, two miles east of Ebensburg, on the road leading to Loretto. The Farm consists of 80 Acres, more or less, about 64 Acres of which are cleared, under good fence, and in a good state of cultivation. The balance of the land is well set with sugar, chestnut, locust and other marketable timber. There is a comfortable FRAME HOUSE and a FRAME BARN on the premises, and an Orchard of choice Fruit Trees that have never yet failed to bear. There is also a never-failing spring of pure water and other necessary conveniences on the premises. The Farm will be sold on fair terms and easy payments, and an indisputable title will be given. What is known as Bradley's Station, on the E. & C. Rail Road, is located on this land.

Further information can be obtained by applying to CHARLES BRADLEY.

Cambria Tp., May 23, 1867.-tf.

A CHANCE FOR A BARGAIN. —FARM FOR SALE.—The Farm owned and occupied by the subscriber, situated in Munster township, Cambria county, four miles south-east of Ebensburg and one-fourth mile from Samuel O'Hara's Mill, containing 121 ACRES and allowance, is offered for sale on reasonable terms and easy payments. Eighty acres of the above land are cleared, under good fence, and in excellent farming condition. The improvements consist of a two-story PLANK HOUSE and a large FRAME BARN, both in good preservation, as well as all other necessary outbuildings. An extensive orchard of choice fruit trees and never-failing springs of excellent water are on the premises. Further information can be obtained by making application to DANIEL O'HARA.

Munster Tp., May 30, 1867.-tf2*

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE! The subscriber offers for sale his Farm situated in Carroll township, Cambria county, about 2½ miles from Carrolltown borough, on the road leading to Hinebaugh's Mill. Said Farm contains over 82 acres, most of it cleared and under good fence, with a comfortable two-story Plank House and Log Barn thereon erected. There is a large orchard of excellent fruit and several springs of pure water on the premises—one of the latter close to the house—as well as a stream of water running through the middle of the land. This property will be sold on fair and easy terms. For further information apply to the undersigned at Lilly's Station, or to Archibald Smith, on the farm.

my30.-8m* DAVID SMITH.

PRIVATE SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale two valuable tracts of TIMBER LAND, situate in Jackson township, Cambria county, and known as the "Lloyd Property." ALSO—Four other valuable tracts of LAND, situate in Cambria and Jackson townships, and known as the "Pensacola Property." ALSO—TWO FARMS adjoining the borough of Ebensburg—one containing about 100 acres; the other about 150 acres. The buildings are all in good repair, with never-failing springs of water near the houses.

☞ Persons wishing to purchase or sell Farms or Timber Lands, will do well by calling on me before buying or offering them for sale. F. A. SHOEMAKER,

ap.11.tf. Att'y at Law, Ebensburg.

LAND FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale, on the most reasonable terms, her tract of land situated in Chest township, Cambria county, within two miles of St. Augustine, containing TWENTY-FIVE ACRES, about 20 of which are cleared, with good House and Barn thereon erected, an orchard and never-failing spring of excellent water. The land is productive, in good repair and under good fence. A perfect title will be given. Inquire on the premises, or of Mr. John Douglass or Mr. J. J. Burns, St. Augustine.

CATHARINE DOUGHERTY.

June 27, 1867.-3t.*

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*Importers and Jobbers of*

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June 20, 1867.-1y. *PHILADELPHIA.*

CAUTION.—Having purchased at Constable Sale (suits of Washington Douglass vs. Lucas Moyer and E. & H. Nutter vs. Lucas Moyer) one Bay Mare and one Cow, and left the same in possession of said Lucas Moyer, I hereby caution all persons against disturbing or in any way interfering with said property, as it is subject to my order and disposal. JOSEPH MOYER.

St. Augustine, June 27, 1867.-3t.*

NOTICE.—All persons knowing themselves indebted to me by note or book account of over six months standing, are requested to pay up within thirty days of this date, or they will find their accounts in the hands of an officer for immediate collection. A strict compliance with this notice will save costs. GEO. HUNTLEY.

Ebensburg, June 20, 1867.

THE RISING SUN STOVE POLISH.—For beauty of polish, saving of labor and cheapness, this preparation is truly unrivalled. *Buy no other.* For sale by GEO. HUNTLEY.

June 13, 1867.


## Tales, Sketches, Anecdotes, &c.

### THE HEADLESS GHOST.

Near the town of Weimar, in Saxony, on the right of the long alley planted with chesnuts, that leads from the town up to the summer palace of the grand duke at Belvidere, there is a spot bare of trees, showing the site of some ancient building, the ruins of which have almost entirely disappeared. Near this site, among the brushwood, are openings to a most extraordinary series of subterranean passages, which, it is said, have never been thoroughly explored. Some say that human bones have been found in them; others, that persons endeavoring to explore them without a clue, have become bewildered, and perished of hunger. Some attribute them to human hands, and some to natural geological causes. It is only certain that they are there, and that no one is able to give any account of them. As to the building, whose foundations alone are visible among the bushes, it is said to have been an ancient castle belonging to some former dukes of Saxony.

Some few years ago, a friend of ours, Herr Helmold, of Weimar, was in the habit of making frequent visits to Oberwisms, a village at the end of the park, one of the ways to which lies through the Belvidere Allee.

One evening in October, after the sun was set, he was passing along this road in a thick fog, illuminated by the moon; as he passed the spot where the ancient castle formerly stood, he was aware of an appearance in the mist beside him, which at first he did not pay much attention to, as he thought it might be the reflection of his own form. After a while, however, it struck him that the image which followed his steps so closely was accompanied by the image of a dog, and he had no dog with him. This circumstance caused him to stop and look at the figure when, to his horror, he observed that it wanted a head.

Herr Helmold walked toward it—it retired; he ran from it—it followed him; he fell into his usual pace—it continued to keep step with him.; he addressed it, but it did not answer.

Herr Helmold is a Catholic. In mortal terror, he mechanically made the sign of the cross. The ghost immediately vanished in the direction of the remains of the old castle.

There is an old tradition connected with the scene of this adventure, that a former duke of Saxony caused his son to be beheaded for some fearful family crime—either the murder of his own mother, or an intrigue similar to that which forms the foundation of Lord Byron's "Parasina."

At Berka, a small bathing place among the hills, seven miles from Weimar, there is also to be seen, on a wooden knoll, the site of a ruined castle, from which the Grand Duke of Weimar derives his title of Count Berka. The old people of Berka still talk of a headless apparition which used to haunt it, and which often appeared to their grandfathers.

SHERMAN'S DUPLICATE PLANS.—The following anecdote of the war we do not remember to have seen before: Sherman on his march toward Atlanta constantly astonished the confederates with the facility with which he restored the railroad bridges they destroyed at his approach. They would annihilate a bridge just before he arrived, and the next morning there it was again, just as it had been before they touched it. At last a light dawned upon them. The original plans for the bridges had all been furnished from Cleveland, Ohio, and before Sherman started he took those plans, had each bridge duplicated in all its timbers and iron work, took the pieces in a "shook" state on his train, and so, when he found a bridge gone, he had nothing to do but get its mate out of the freight cars, bolt it together, and put it up. This thing worried the confederates a good deal when they found it out. One day they proposed to destroy the Dalton tunnel, to hinder Sherman's march, but an exasperated Confederate said: "What in the nation's the use? That d—d old Sherman probably fetched another one along with him from Cleveland!"

AT Beaver Dam, Wisconsin, recently a little child fell down stairs and lay senseless from the fall. The only witness to the accident was the cat, which ran to another part of the house, where the child's mother was at work and mewed vigorously, at the same time running back and forth from the room to the stairway by which means the mother's attention was attracted and the child cared for.

TREAT every one with kindness,

### A FATAL WATCH.

We do not believe in dreams and superstitions, as a general thing, but once in a while one is compelled to believe even against his own will. There lately died of malignant fever in Saginaw, a young man aged about twenty-two years, whose parents have for a long time resided in this city. They are aged people, given to odd whims and notions, and it will no doubt be just as well to suppress their names. Together with a trunk, books, papers, clothing and money which arrived here from Saginaw last Saturday night, came an old fashioned, English watch, commonly known as a "bull's eye," and it is of this that we have a strange tale to relate. The time-piece was taken of a widow woman in exchange for a coin in 1857, while all the parties were living in Sylviana, Ohio. William, the eldest son of four boys, shortly after went to New Orleans, carrying the watch with him, and was stabbed in a saloon the next week after his arrival. A telegram was sent to Sylviana, and the father went down and brought back the body.

The next son, Henry, in 1859, was killed by the falling of a yard on the schooner Atlanta, while at Sandusky, and the Coroner there forwarded the effects of the deceased to his parents—among them being the watch. The third son, James, enlisted in the first company that left here, and tented with the writer of this for the first three months after reaching Virginia. He had the watch until his death, which occurred at Fair Oaks, in June, 1862, and the watch was forwarded to his parents here by Captain Jeffers, of Co. G. The fourth son, Albert, went to Saginaw last winter, carrying the watch, against the advice of his parents, and his death and the return of the watch are recorded at the beginning of this article. Whether a fatality will ever attend all who carry the ancient time-piece is beyond the reach of human ken; but the most skeptical can but admit that the death of four brothers in succession, so far apart and so widely different, and each carrying the watch at the time of his death, is a singular fact to say the least.—*Lansing Democrat.*

### A MAN-WOLF.

Rev. Dr. Butler, the well-known Methodist missionary who established the mission of that church in India in 1856, recently returned to this country. He makes the following statement of a remarkable case:

In 1859 a British soldier, while bearing a dispatch from one magistrate to another in the kingdom of Oude, passed an unfrequented ravine, where he saw a pack of wolves, and with them a human being, evidently one of their company. Immediately turning back he reported the circumstance to the magistrate for whom he was traveling. The latter forthwith mustered a number of coolies and went to the place. The pack of wolves fled a short distance, and sought refuge in a sort of cave or den. Beginning to dig, the party soon discovered the feet of the wild man, and, drawing him forth, succeeded in binding and carrying him to town. Dr. Butler has seen him often since, and says he is evidently a man, and at the time of his capture apparently about twenty-four years of age.

The captured creature at first violently resisted the attempt to put clothing upon him, but after a while ceased to tear the garment. He is now kept by a gentleman in the city of Thabje Vampore, some eight hundred miles west of Calcutta. When first taken he was unwilling to eat anything but raw meat, and has never been able to speak or make any approximation to a knowledge of the alphabet. If any one looks earnestly or sharply at him, he expresses his annoyance by a half-uttered grunt, immediately turning away and setting upon his haunches in a corner of the room, or lies down. He eats his food off the ground, and although evidently a human being, is inhabits a wolf, with the instincts of that beast.

This is certainly an anomalous fact in natural history, although it is said that four similar cases are known to have occurred in India, presenting the same general facts.

THE sewing machine is likely to have a rival in an invention recently perfected, by which wearing apparel of all kinds—shirts, pantaloons, vests, skirts, ladies' mantles, jackets, coats, &c., &c., are both woven and sewed at the same time. The sewing of the seams is stronger even than hand-sewing, and perfectly smooth, and the articles are woven and sewed of any pattern, of wool, silk, cotton, or any other material.

### A SAD STORY.

The Watertown *Reformer* gives the details of a sad chapter in the recent disaster on Lake Ontario. Among the passengers of the steamer Wisconsin, burned near Cape Vincent, was a Mr. Chisholm, from Canadas, on his way to Missouri, in company with his wife and children, six in number. He was a man about fifty-five years old, had bought a farm in the State to which he was traveling, and was moving with his family and goods. When the fire broke out he was sitting on deck, but his wife and children had retired for the night. One of the small boats was let down to within about a foot of the water, and about twenty pastengers leapt into it, and Mr. Chisholm assisted his wife, three daughters and a son to get in. One of the frightened crowd cut with the knife a rope which connected the bow of the small boat with the davit, and the loosened end dropped down like a spoon, and at once filled with water.

The passengers were thrown out and nearly all drowned. This happened not more than a minute and a half before the steamer struck the shore on Grenadier Island, and had all remained on board, as the Captain ordered, not a life would have been lost. Mrs. Chisholm, the three daughters, aged respectively, twenty-seven and fifteen and the boy of eleven years were all drowned. The father and the two elder boys, who stuck to the boat, were saved. Mr. Chisholm had $4000 in greenbacks, his only fortune, which was in his wife's satchel and was destroyed by the flames. Thus he was left in a strange land, a widower, bereft of four children, without money or property, with his great grief resting on his soul, to commence the world anew. The bodies of his wife and children were recovered, and have been interred in the graveyard at Cape Vincent, and the sad heart broken husband and father, with his two remaining sons, will go on to his homeless home in the West. Few life dreams have sadder chapters than this.

A GOOD JOKE.—Many years ago, when church organs came in use, a worthy old clergyman was pastor of a church where they had just purchased an organ. Not far from the church was a large town pasture, where a great many cattle grazed, and among them a large bull. One hot Sabbath, Mr. Bull came up near the church grazing, and just as the Rev. Mr. B—— was in the midst of his sermon—"boo-woo-woo" went the bull.

The parson paused, looked up at the singing seats, and, with a grave face, said:

"I would thank the musicians not to tune their instruments during service; it annoys me very much."

The people stared, and the minister went on.

"Boo-wo-wo," went the bull again, as he drew a little nearer the church.

The parson paused again and addressed the choir:

"I really wish the singers would not tune their instruments while I am preaching."

The congregation tittered, for they knew what the real cause of the disturbance was.

The old parson went on again, and he had just about started good, when "Boo-woo-woo" came from Mr. Bull.

The minister paused once more and exclaimed:

"I have requested the musicians in the gallery not to tune their instruments during the sermon. I now particularly request Mr. L—— that he will not tune his double base organ while I am preaching."

This was too much. L—— got up, too much agitated at the idea of speaking out in church, and stammered out:

"It is—isn't me, Parson, it—it is that d—d town bull."

THE Hamilton *Telegraph* relates the following: Some time ago a gentleman in this town was appointed auditor to distribute the funds in the hands of an administrator amongst the creditors. Notice of the sitting of the auditor was published in two of the county papers. It so happened that a few creditors residing in a certain portion of the county, who had claims to collect to the amount of seven or eight hundred dollars, from neglect of taking a county paper, never heard of the audit until the report of the auditor had been confirmed by the court. They then came to town to inquire about the likelihood of securing their claims; called upon an attorney, who examined into the matter, and informed them that they had forever lost their money; and, we presume, charged them five dollars for the information. All this resulted from being too penurious or too careless to subscribe for a county newspaper.

### AN UNFORTUNATE FLIGHT.

The Dubuque *Herald* is responsible for the following humorous sketch of the misfortunes of an Iowa clergyman:

Thursday last, among the goods expressed from the West by the D. & S. R. R., were a number of baskets of hen fruit. Two or three stations this side of that at which they were placed upon a car, an ex-minister of huge proportions stepped into the express car to speak with the messenger. The eggs were in the west end of the car, and our clerical friend accidentally took his position in front of them, with his back towards the eggs. While the twain were conversing, the train suddenly started forward. The reverend gentleman was taken unawares by the unexpected jerk, and he lost his balance. He found it in the basket of eggs just in his rear. The result of this ministerial on-set—if we may so term it—baffles all description. Of course the contents of the basket came to an unlucky end. Ike Partington once set a hen on fifty-two eggs, just to see her spread herself; here was a man not used to the business who had set himself on fifty-two dozen, and successfully accomplished the same result, as any one could see. But though backward in getting into that undignified position, he was by no means backward in getting out. He erected himself and examined himself. Any member of his church, if present, would have recognized in him not only a faithful fellow laborer, but an earnest yolk fellow. For a minute he stood motionless, except as he with spread and tremulous fingers in an undecided and uncertain way waved his hands with the air of a man who had been egged on to desperation. He certainly presented a ludicrous aspect. As the precious ointment ran down Aaron's beard, so the albuminous unguent ran down the preacher's trowser legs, spreading in translucent liquidness upon the floor about his feet. The express messenger took the stove hearth and did what he could towards cleaning his friend off—a novel way of scraping an acquaintance.

H-E-R-E WE COME.—There was a wedding in a church in a village near Chicago, recently, which was attended by a crowd of people, the bride being a famous belle in this section, and the bridegroom a late army officer. There is a story about him that was revived with great effect at the wedding. He was in the western frontier service, and one day (so the story goes) he went out to hunt a bear. He had been away from camp a few hours, when his voice was heard faintly in the distance exclaiming—

"*Here we come!*"

In a little time the same cry was heard again, but nearer; then it was repeated at intervals, nearer and louder; when finally the bold captain emerged from a bit of woods near the camp, running at the top of his speed, without a coat, hat or gun. In he came to camp shouting "Here we come!"

"Here who comes!" inquired a brother officer.

"Why, me and the game," gasped the officer, pointing to a big bear who showed himself at the edge of the woods, took a look at the camp, and then, with a growl at missing his expected meal of the captain, disappeared in the woods again.

"But why didn't you shoot the bear, and then bring him in?" inquired one.

"What's the use in shooting your game!" said the captain, testily, "when you can bring it in alive, as I did?"

The story got home before the captain did, and was in everybody's mouth. The other night as the bold captain led his intended bride into the church with the pride and grace so readily inspired by the occasion, some wicked wag sang out from the gallery—

"*Here we come!*"

Which was followed by such a shout of laughter as that old church never heard before.

AN anecdote recorded by Sir William Hamilton, in his account of the clearing away of some demolished houses after a Sicilian earthquake, evinces the strength of maternal affection. "Beneath the ruins," says he, "the men were discovered in the attitude of resistance, and the women in that of prayer, saving only the mothers, who were invariably found brooding over their children."

A NEW idea in photography is announced, by which the head of a lady is taken in the midst of the petals of any kind of flowers—such as a rose, a tulip, or the like.

WHY can you keep fruit better by canning it than by any other way? Because you can.

# THE CAMBRIA FREEMAN.

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## DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

FOR JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT:
**HON. GEORGE SHARSWOOD,**
Of Philadelphia.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

FOR ASSEMBLY:
HON. JOHN P. LINTON, Johnstown.
FOR SHERIFF:
JOHN A. BLAIR, Ebensburg.
FOR TREASURER:
JOHN COX, Conemaugh.
FOR COMMISSIONER:
JOHN A. KENNEDY, Carrolltown.
FOR JURY COMMISSIONER:
JOHN BUCK, Carrolltown.
FOR POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR:
JOHN D. THOMAS, Ebensburg.
FOR AUDITORS:
EDW. D. EVANS, Croyle, 3 years.
JOHN F. ALLEN, Yoder, 1 year.
FOR CORONER:
J. A. HARROLD, Johnstown.

## THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

The Democratic Convention, which sat on the 1st instant closed its labors in less than four hours from the time it met, being the shortest session had in making nominations within the recollection of the "oldest inhabitant." It represented in an eminent degree the intelligence of the democratic masses, and the result of its labors cannot fail to give general satisfaction.

True, it is entirely impossible, where so many sterling and competent candidates were in the field, some of whom were urged with much zeal by their respective friends, that feelings of disappointment should not prevail, in regard to some of the nominations, among the friends of the unsuccessful candidates. But all parted with the fixed determination to stand by the organization as the only hope, under Providence, of restoring our country to her former greatness and purity.

For ourselves, we shall give the ticket a firm but temperate support, until the second Tuesday of October makes its "election sure." Had the choice fallen upon other candidates we should have supported them with equal ardor. It is no business of ours to dictate, but to carry out the behests of the Democracy, when declared through their organ—the Convention. We shall proceed, briefly, to notice the respective candidates.

For Assembly Col. John P. Linton was renominated by acclamation. We shall not refer to his past history, as a citizen or a soldier in the army of the Republic, nor to the honorable scars which he must bear through life upon his person, but we shall refer, now and hereafter, to the ability, purity and integrity which distinguished his legislative career, as a firm vindicator of the rights of the people, and a fearless opponent of all the wrongs, corruptions and self-aggrandizement of the late legislature. Born in Cambria county, he has always maintained the position of one of her truest, bravest and most talented sons.

John A. Blair, our candidate for Sheriff, is also a native of Cambria county, having been born and reared to manhood in Allegheny township. He removed to Ebensburg shortly before the Mexican war, and distinguished himself both as a soldier and an officer in that brief but fierce struggle. Mr. Blair is entirely a self-made man, Orphaned in his earliest childhood, he has had none of the advantages of early parental training, or a liberal education. Yet, despite these disadvantages, by his sound common sense and his untiring will, he stands acknowledged as one of our worthiest citizens. The compliment paid him in the nomination is the greater, as his antagonists in the convention were, like him, life-long democrats and inferior to him in none of the qualifications for a safe and competent public servant.

John Cox, Esq., the nominee for Treasurer, is an intelligent mechanic of Conemaugh Borough—a district that always tells her majority in large figures. In addition to his well known merits, he had the sympathy of the citizens generally, as he was rendered a helpless cripple for life by the horrible disaster at Johnstown on the 14th September last.

John A. Kennedy the candidate for County Commissioner, was born in Carroll township, where he still resides. While pursuing his toil as a "Farmer's Boy," he met with an accident by which he lost one of his limbs, which unfitted him for farm life, and he turned his common school education to account by fitting himself as a teacher, which occupation he has mainly pursued up to the present time. He is frugal and economical in his habits, and will make a safe steward of the interests of the people.

For the very unprofitable, but very important, office of Jury Commissioner John Buck, Esq., (Sheriff Buck,) was nominated. We shall not further allude to him, as everybody knows him, and he knows everybody—and of course knows who should go into the jury wheel.

John D. Thomas, formerly of Chest township, now of Ebensburg, the nominee for Poor House Director, is an industrious mechanic, honest and intelligent. His friends from the "Glosser" region appreciated their former neighbor by claiming his nomination.

Our Auditor for three years, Edward D. Evans, resides in Croyle township—is a man of integrity and excellent business qualifications, and a good accountant. And John F. Allen, of Yoder, the Auditor for one year, is an old schoolmaster, familiar with figures, and too honest to let aught pass that his conscience did not approve.

J. A. Harrold, of Johnstown, was nominated by acclamation for Coroner, and will make a safe and efficient officer. He served in the Union army during the rebellion, and bears honorable wounds upon his person.

Such is the ticket. Taken as a whole it is one for which any democrat can safely deposit his suffrage; and we predict its election by an unusually large majority.

## "EFFRONTERY."

The *Alleghanian*, after court, undertook to re-try a case that had been tried in court and ended there. It filled a whole column, in which, while it did not dare to pronounce the defendant guilty of the crime, it found fault with the charge of Judge Taylor, complained of the jury for their verdict, and slandered the counsel for the defendant. Knowing that the editor, if he had heard the trial, would never have written the article, we, who were present, corrected him without saying an unkind word. This the *Alleghanian* calls "effrontery." If it is, we should like to know what the *Alleghanian* article is?

The *Alleghanian*, in the article referred to, spoke of the defendant as a "preacher," and seemed to think that this was something against him—thus bringing his religion into the question. We admitted the fact that he was a preacher, and a *radical* preacher at that, and there is a howl about connecting religion with politics. And then it expects, if this is not a "fat, plump falsehood," we will "be so good as to tell (us) in what a falsehood consists?" Certainly! It consists in saying that the counsel for Mr. Hayes did not deny that he was guilty of adultery, and you have not had the manliness to retract this falsehood.

As to Mr. Hayes *barely* escaping, we scarcely comprehend its meaning. Mr. H. was found "not guilty," and no man can escape more or less than that.

*It is not true* that we ever sought to prejudice our readers against any parties convicted by the court. Unlike the *Alleghanian*, we sustain our courts and juries. We merely offered statistics to show that more than an average proportion of crime was committed by negroes, and this seems to be true whether predicated of blacks—or black republicans.

SANTA ANNA SHOT.—It is rumored that Santa Anna was shot at Sisal on the morning of June 25th, by order of Juarez, but the rumor is not credited in Washington circles. The bloody programme which Juarez is carrying out against foreigners and all rival candidates for the Presidency will undoubtedly result in his downfall. He cannot be the proper man to entrust with the keeping of popular liberty, but may make a passable tyrant, after the Radical fashion. His inhuman murder of Maximillian and the French officers has excited great indignation in France and England, and will do him much harm.

—Gen. Thomas Francis Meagher, Governor of Montana Territory, was drowned at Fort Benton, on the evening of the 1st instant. Gen. Meagher was in the Irish rebellion in 1848, and served with distinction during the late war in this country.

## OUR BOOK TABLE.

"MY GIFT."—We find upon our table, challenging our criticism, a little volume of poems from the pen of Cyrus Elder, Esq., of Johnstown. The volume contains some hundred pages, and is presented in the most creditable style—a perfect gem, indeed, to adorn the centre table. It is dedicated to Hon. Daniel J. Morrell, of Johnstown, who, we doubt not, will appreciate its merits and yield the influence of his name in introducing the author's maiden production to the notice of the *literati* of the country. Some of the finest poems that adorn the English language would never have seen the light but for the appreciative kindness of a patron, and we hope our poet may realize the couplet of Pope, in his unassuming dedication:

"Should, then, this verse to future fame pretend,
Thou wert my guide, philosopher and friend."

But the poems themselves. To say that they are far, very far, superior to the general serial productions of the day, is doing them less than justice. To rank them with effusions of the standard English poets, or even with first class American poetry, is more than the author would expect. The diction, however, as a general thing, is chaste and pure, the rhymth flowing and easy, and the imagery and poetical figures natural. Mr. Elder certainly has all the dreaminess, if not all the fire, of a gennine poet. But if they lack fire the defect may be more attributable to the theme than the poet.

The leading poem, "My Gift," which gives its name to the book, though not the longest, nor by any means the most pretentious, is, we think, the most perfect production in the volume; and it alone shows the author to be gifted with more than an ordinary degree of the "spirit of poesy." Such verses as the following would find themselves at home among the best productions of the best poets:

The one reveals a glorious world,
Lucent and sky-robed as a star,
Where men walk like the gods of old,
And women as the angels are.
* * * * * * *
The other shows a sadder sphere
That ever swings from gloom to gloom,
Where men crawl, cursed with little cares,
To find at last a nameless tomb.

And I am poorest of them all,
And poorer than my pride is great,
And that I lose their little joys
In longings for a happier state.

If we are not at fault, the poems in this collection most characterized for their simplicity, are those which will most add to the poetic fame of the author. Among these are "Maple," the domestic "Songs," "The Token," "The Moss Worker,," and even "The Village Tale" and "To-Morrow." We append the following, in which sweetness of poetry and piety of sentiment are blended in beautiful harmony:

THE MAIDEN'S PRAYER.

O'er the storm ascending:
Over the raging sea:
Winds and waters blending,
Carry my prayer to thee.
Queen, from heaven bending,
Pity, O pity me!
Mary maiden,
Mother mild,
Hear thy trembling child.

Passing tempests lower,
Threat'ning my lonely bark:
Tides of mystic power
Hurry it through the dark.
In this dreadful hour
Be thou a saving ark.
Maiden mother,
Hear my prayer,
Make me still thy care.

The above lines we think not inferior to the "Ave Maria" of Mrs. Hemans.

There is an air of mystery thrown around some of the effusions which might, with advantage, have been avoided. And still more is this the case in many of the titles. It is true that many, like St. Paul's audience at Athens, prefer to worship the "Unknown," but poetry, like prose, should be written to be understood. Now, to one of limited reading, like ourself, it is difficult to see what relation "Warner Justice" has to the poem of which it is the caption. Who is or was Warner Justice? Or is Warner an adjective to the noun Justice? In law parlance, *non constat* that the poem informs us on this head. If it had been Justice Warner, we could at once have recognized it to be an old Richland farmer, to whom the poem itself would refer as well as to any other Warner of which history informs us. We could point out one or two other blemishes, or what we esteem such, but the volume has so many real merits as to more than atone for all defects.

There might still be some room for verbal criticism. It is the extreme of poetic license to make an irregular verb of "glide," but here we have the imperfect tense in "glode," which the necessity of the rhymth did not call for.

The book before us is entirely free from plagiarism. The verse, the style, the thoughts, are the poet's own, and sufficiently distinct to give character to his future writings. Highly poetic and beautiful phrases abound in all the poems, and perhaps no prettier thought is to be found than in the "Village Tale":

He smiled—his teeth were white and long;
He sang—his voice was sweet;
He danced—it was another song,
*A singing of the feet!*

But enough for the present. We expect hereafter to reproduce some of these poems for the readers of the *Freeman*. In the meantime we congratulate Mr. Elder on his efforts. We are glad that he has written—and published, and would advise him not to let the "weightier matters of the law" prevent him from still wooing the immortal nine.

"THE PUBLIC SPIRIT" is the title of a very interesting and handsomely printed monthly magazine, containing some hundred pages, which has found its way to our sanctum. We have examined it thoroughly, and have no hesitation in pronouncing it what it claims to be, a magazine of choice literature. Every alternate page throughout the greater portion of the book is devoted to advertisements, and as we have failed to discover any announcement of the subscription price, we are led to infer that the work is designed for gratuitous circulation, its support being derived from advertising patronage alone. Le Grand Benedict, Troy, N. Y., publisher.

## MacShane in Washington.

LETTER NUMBER SEVEN.

*Hon. John Covode.*

This very distinguished individual demands more than a passing notice, and I shall dedicate this letter entirely to his service. Tradition has not handed down much about his parentage, or even his early life. The first we hear of him we find him engaged in the *wool* business—a vocation for which he still has a strong attachment, so much so, that it is said he has himself been a little *woolly* several times. He did not assume very much *status*, politically, until that highly intellectual organization, the Know Nothings, made him one of its sturdiest champions, and he has literally "held his own" ever since.

When elected to Congress he entered the cars at Lockport, and traveled via. Harrisburg and Baltimore to Washington city. It is intimated that he was mistaken in the character of the first boarding house he adopted. Be this as it may, he soon became a *character*.

Nearly every Congressman had some peculiarity of person or mind—some distinguishing mental or physical feature. Long John Wentworth was the tall member of Congress, Ed. M'Pherson was the slightest, Crittenden was the oldest. The peculiarity of the great Daniel Webster was the size of his head, and it was matter of notoriety that he could purchase no hat in Washington large enough, and was compelled to have his hats made to order.

The great personal characteristic of Covode was that, in the language of "bluff" players, he "carried a monstrous hand." After he found that gloves were worn as an article of dress in the Federal city he sought to purchase a pair, but after a full search among all the glovers, he could not find a pair of kids that would be "drawed on." So he boasted that if Webster had the largest head *he* had the largest hand in Congress. When it was suggested by some disloyal scamp that Covode had not left Congress "with clean hands," Old Abe humorously retorted that no one man could keep a pair of hands the size of Covode's clean all the time.

Mr. Covode, though a ready debater, has only delivered *one* speech, but he has made *that one* a great many times. His style is very free—never trammelled by the Queen's English—and he occasianally says a good thing by playing upon language. In replying to some charges of the opposite party he boldly proclaimed, "I deny the allegation; I care not who the *allegator* is." And again, when discussing the liberal views of his party, he warms with his theme, and, "his eyes in a fine frenzy rolling," he enunciates a fact that cannot be gainsayed in regard to a great many radicals, when he asserts, "I am as good a friend of liberty as any man living—so are all republicans—we are all *libertines*."

Though having no great claims to authorship, Mr. Covode modestly admits that "he has *writ* one of the largest books in the English language." This is the Report of the celebrated Kansas Investigating Committee. It has been pronounced very entertaining, but I have never met a man that has read it through.

His style, on ordinary topics, is free and intelligible. Take the following: Governor Curtin is addressing a meeting in Covode's district, and refers to the fact that the democrats are importing votes. With admirable strategy Mr. C. twitches the skirt of Andy's coat, and hands him the following pencil sketch: "Guvner, I guess its best not to say much on that subjick. It's corn toppin' time, and I think I can beat 'em at colonizin', accordin' to my figgers, about three hunderd votes."

His attack on B. F. Butler, when he alleged that articles which he had sent to our prisoners through the care of Butler never reached them, was very pointed. It was doubted, however, by many whether Covode had ever sent them, for while all agreed that Butler was a thief, it was equally certain that Covode was a liar, and where only one of the two could be guilty of his favorite failing, public sentiment was much divided as to which it was.

Covode, though wealthy, is sparing of *capital*, and spells God with a small g. His exclamation, in the commencement of one of his letters "Glory to *god*!" like that of "honest," has been often ironically prefixed to his name. When the pious Wilson was asked the cause of his aversion to Covode, the Yankee replied that "he never could admire a man who spelt God with a little g, and blowed his nose in his fingers."

MACSHANE.

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...SDAY, : : : JULY 11, 1867.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

...ALITIES, LOCAL AND GENERAL.—...Geary has already departed from his ...me in pardoning several convicts, ...his own terms.

...all endeavor to give the names of ...bers of the Democratic County Com... in the next *Freeman*.

...are *nine* candidates on the Demo... County Ticket, *seven* of whom are ..., and *seven* rejoice in the Christian ...f John.

...ditor of the Hollidaysburg *Register* ...ently presented with a strawberry, ...ear that place, measuring five inches ...ference.

...reverable and esteemed townsman, ...T. Storm, was, we regret to say, ...ted with *coup de soliel*, while at New... the 4th inst. He is now at home and ...well.

...eler named David F. M'Cabe com... suicide in Huntingdon, a couple of ...ago, by taking laudanum. Domes... ...icity is supposed to have been the in... ...cause.

...luable horse belonging to Major B. ...ilt, of this place, had one of its legs ..., on Friday morning last, by becom... ...angled in the bridle rein. The own... ...of course compelled to have him shot.

...e attempting to subdue a fire which ...e ignited by a lighted lamp in the ...f Reed's drug store, Huntingdon, not ...ace, a man named Wm. Fenteman ...severely injured by an explosion of ...ind that his life is despaired of.

...E. Hall, importer of fraudulant Co... ...tes, who was recently found guilty ...lt and battery and sentenced to six ...imprisonment in Allegheny county, ...as pardoned by Gov. Geary, at the ...ion of a number of prominent radi... ...at county.

...t, who is some on phrenology, is of ...ion that with the young ladies of ...ent day the sensual organs predomi... ...ate the intellectual. Formerly the ...ied their bonnets under the chins—...y are compelled, in order to keep ...their places, to tie them behind ...cks.

...mployee of the Pa. R. R. Co., named ...er, while attempting to cross the ...in front of an approaching train, at ...on Friday week last, struck his foot ...a sharp piece of iron partially de... ...from one of the rails, the iron passing ...his foot and inflicting a severe and ...us wound.

...y Rupert, a young lady residing near ...ck, Huntingdon county, attended ...some three weeks ago, and while ...ng of some refreshments, a piece of ...hich had been accidentally broken on ...le was taken in her food, and lodging ...throat, caused her death in a week ...e occurrence.

...Fourth of July, with its attendant ...s and ceremonies, was the "biggest ...ever witnessed in Altoona. What, ...men, soldiers, benevolent associa... ...tizens, and visitors of all classes, there ...ve been ten thousand persons pres... ...A soldiers' monument was dedicated ...ccasion. A Catholic pic-nic was al... ...near the town, and was the best at... ...and most enjoyable ever given there.

...ons.—We had the pleasure of a shake ...with Traugh, of the Hollidaysburg ...rd, who visited our town on Saturday ...the purpose of witnessing the match ...etween the Juniata and Mountaineer ...ll clubs, upon which, however, the ...luckily put a damper. He, like his ...is "gay and incomparable" as ever. ...nior of the *Register* was also in town, ...failed to meet him.

...John M'Keage, Republican candi... ...Sheriff of Blair county, also came ...wake of the Juniata, and called upon ...e is a soldier and a gentleman, albeit ...ngs to the wrong school of politics.

...artist friend, George Storm, of Wheel..., with his family, is at present in our ...on a visit to his parents. George is ...welcome to his old home.

...D. L. Brallier we also observe in town, ...as hale and handsome as ever. He ...epresents the heavy drug house of ...& Smith, Third street, Phila.

...NAL.—We tender our thanks to the ...ratic County Convention for the com... ...they paid us in making us their pre... ...officer, as well as for the further ex... ...of confidence in making us Chair... ...the County Committee for the car... ...ar. We *did* endeavor to do our duty ...first position, and *shall* try to do it in ...ond.

...p Collins, Esq., was not a candidate ...egate to the next State Convention ...the County Convention, but was named ...iend, without his knowledge or con... ...Mr. Collins was in favor of Mr. Wood... ...d it is no more than truth to say of ...at while he is always willing to labor ...good cause, neither his business nor ...s make him desirous of party honors.

...NNIVERSARY.—The glorious Fourth ...elebrated hereabouts by a pic-nic in ...woods, in which the various Protes... ...Sabbath Schools, their teachers and ...participated. The procession, as it ...from the church to the ground, pre... ...a most pleasing spectacle, and was ...ten minutes passing a given point. ...g occurred to mar their enjoyment, ...er partaking of the good things pro... ...for them and indulging in innocent re..., the children returned in the even... ...pleased with Independence Day.

...AL RAILROAD ACCIDENTS.—James Ar... ...an old man sixty years of age, was ...by a freight train at Bell's Mills, on ...R. R., on Wednesday of last week, ...most instantly killed.

...Friday morning last, Thomas Dorsey, ...attending some masons who were em... ...in repairing a culvert below Eliza... ...Furnace, on the same road, was also ...by a passing freight train, and killed ...He was a native of Ireland, and ...ately residing in Altoona.

BASE BALL.—In the return game of base ball between the Mountaineer Club of this place and the Mountain Club of Altoona, on the grounds of the latter, on the 4th of July, the Mountaineers were again victorious, beating their competitors 11 points. The score stood:

| *Mountaineers.* | O. | R. | *Mountain.* | O. | R. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| C. Roberts, 1 b., | 3 | 5 | D. Caldwell, c., | 2 | 7 |
| F. Barker, r. f., | 5 | 3 | Galbraith, r. f., | 4 | 3 |
| A. Jones, c., | 3 | 4 | J. Milliken, 1 b., | 6 | 3 |
| E. Dunegan, 3 b., | 7 | 1 | M'Donald, l. f., | 0 | 4 |
| G. Robinson, s. s., | 2 | 6 | W. Humes, s. s., | 2 | 2 |
| T. Hutchinson, 2b, | 3 | 5 | Worrell, p., | 2 | 4 |
| H. Darragh, c. f., | 2 | 6 | M. Howe, 3 b., | 5 | 2 |
| V. Barker, l. f., | 1 | 7 | Snyder, l. f., | 4 | 3 |
| W. Hutchinson, p. | 1 | 6 | Pettit, 2 b., | 2 | 4 |
| | 27 | 43 | | 27 | 32 |

RUNS EACH INNING.

| | 1. | 2. | 3. | 4. | 5. | 6. | 7. | 8. | 9. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mountain'r, | 7 | 0 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 8 | —43. |
| Mountain, | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 8 | —32. |

Fly catches—Mountaineer, 15; Mountain, 8. Out on fouls—Mountaineer, 4; Mountain, 14. Home runs—Mountaineer, 3; Mountain, 1. Time of game—3 h., 15 m.

Umpire—L. L. Christy, Juniata Club of Hollidaysburg; Scorers—Lew. Rodgers for Mountaineer; J. M. Erb for Mountain.

The Mountaineer Club received a challenge from the Juniata Club, Hollidaysburg, on Friday evening last, and on Saturday the first nine of the latter Club visited this place for the purpose of playing a match game with the first nine of the Club here. During the progress of the second inning, however, the game was called, owing to the inclemency of the weather—the Mountaineers (first) at the bat. On the one inning played the game stood: Mountaineer, 5; Juniata, 4; and on the second inning the Mountaineers had eight men in, one on third base, and but one out, when game was called.

The regular monthly meeting of the Mountaineer Club will be held in the Grand Jury room, in the Court House, on Friday evening next. A full attendance of the members is requested.

MURDER IN INDIANA COUNTY.—An atrocious murder was committed in Canoe township, Indiana county, on Monday of last week. An old man named Nicholas Vandevinder some time ago divided his property between his two sons-in law, one of them named John B. Bowers receiving the home farm on condition that he would provide for the old man during his lifetime. Latterly Vandevinder became dissatisfied with the treatment given him by Bowers and his family, alleging that he was persecuted and harshly treated by them. This conviction so preyed upon his mind that he determined at last to kill Bowers, and at the time stated provided himself with a rifle, and having loaded it, waylaid and shot his victim, the ball entering his left side and killing him instantly. Vandevinder, after committing the crime, repaired to the house, and packing several articles of clothing in his saddle bags, started, with the rifle still in his possession, in the direction of Indiana, but was overtaken at Plumville, some twenty miles distant, where he was arrested and from thence conveyed to jail. Such are the facts as we condense them from last week's issue of the Indiana *Democrat*.

NORMAL SCHOOL.—A Normal School, to be taught by Miss Columbia A. Horne, under the supervision of the County Superintendent, will be opened in the Public School House, Ebensburg, on Monday, July 15th, 1867. Instructions will be given in Orthography, Reading, Penmanship, Mental and Practical Arithmetic, Physical and Descriptive Geography, Grammar, History, Composition, and the Theory of Teaching.

Miss Horne is a lady of thorough education and large experience in schools of this character, and she has been selected with special reference to her fitness as an instructor of those designing to prepare for teaching. This school, in addition to offering peculiar facilities to teachers and those designing to become teachers, will afford an excellent opportunity for superior instructions to others. All will be received who are sufficiently advanced to enter the classes. Terms reasonable. J. FRANK CONDON, Co. Supt.

HARRY SHOEMAKER says if he did drive a mule on the 4th of July he is none the less prepared to drive business now, and all he asks is a constant drove of customers, who will be welcomed at all hours of day or evening. Harry stands in front of a long row of well filled shelves, and deals out merchandise of all descriptions with a lavish hand at very moderate prices, and with a smile of complacency really bewitching. Go and see.

CLOTHING.—Ebensburg has no establishment exclusively devoted to the sale of clothing, but so long as J. M. Thompson keeps the complete stock he does no person of the sterner sex will have room to complain that he has "nothing to wear." Jim is at all times prepared to deck his customers from "top to toe" in seasonable wearing apparel, and makes the least possible excavations in their pocket-books in so doing.

KNOWLEDGE and wisdom are diamonds that flash along the pathway of life, and to know that Mills & Davis keep a handsome stock of merchandise, and to be wise enough to buy from them, are not the smallest diamonds in the heap, either. Dry goods, dress goods, clothing, notions, groceries, etc., are comprised in the assortment for sale at this establishment, and all tastes can be satisfied at the lowest prices.

MONEY slips through the fingers like watermelon seeds, travels without legs and flies without wings, and the best place that we know of to set it going on its journey is at the cheap dry goods and grocery establishment of V. S. Barker, on High street. Every day brings something new to Mr. Barker's store, thus constantly keeping his stock up to the full standard of excellence and variety.

GOLD PENS.—Cham. Roberts is sole agent here for the sale of Morton's unequalled gold pens, and can furnish them as cheap as they can be bought anywhere, east or west. He is not sole agent for many other nice and useful articles, but nevertheless keeps a varied assortment in the jewelry and notion lins which cannot be surpassed in beauty or undersold in price.

## LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.

JOHNSTOWN, JULY 8, 1867.

*Dear Freeman*—The 91st anniversary commemorative of the Declaration of Independence, passed off here without any unusual demonstration. A number of pic-nics were held in the various groves adjoining town, and also one at Conemaugh. The annual Catholic pic-nic was the largest gathering of the kind that ever took place in this locality, and a quieter or more harmonious social reunion never convened in Johnstown. There was no unusual stir on our streets during the day or evening, and the lock-up secured but one tenant.

During the progress of the pic-nic at Conemaugh, a white man and a negro got into an altercation, which resulted disastrously for the latter, he being abused in a most shocking manner. Another negro was badly beaten at the depot here by a white man, but as I did not hear the particulars of the affair I have no comments to make. On Friday still another negro was "flattened out" at a German beer saloon in Conemaugh borough.

Sku Bal was "on the wing" on the 4th, and in company with our worthy Sheriff, left Ebensburg at 8 o'clock, arriving in Loretto an hour later, and after a refreshing drink of water at the Shields' horse pump, proceeded in the direction of the "Loop." As the aforesaid Sheriff is the owner of a very fast horse, and is withal an excellent driver, we were not long reaching our destination, which was a pic-nic in the neighborhood of St. Augustine, gotten up by Rev. Burns. For real old fashioned enjoyment I would ask no better place to go to than a pic-nic at the "Loop," and I think the many strangers present will bear me out in the assertion that a pleasanter affair could not transpire anywhere than was the celebration on this occasion. Everything went off harmoniously, and variety was given to the various pleasures by hearing your eloquent pastor, Rev. R. C. Christy read the Declaration which 91 years ago thrilled the hearts, and kindled a fire in the bosoms of the band assembled in Independence Square—a fire which was not quenched until tyranny and oppression were overcome, and the last act in the drama closed with the scene "AMERICA IS FREE." After a few appropriate comments by Father Christy, F. A. Shoemaker, Esq., was called upon the stand and delivered an eloquent oration suitable for the occasion, which was received with great applause.

The rapidly gathering clouds now threatened rain, and your correspondent was fain to leave, so looking up the Sheriff, who was posted in the neighborhood of a spruce beer stand, we regretfully tore ourselves away from this pleasant gathering, and after a brief halt for supper with our old friend Callan, of the Shields House, Loretto, we reached Ebensburg, well satisfied with our trip to the "Loop."

Now to return to local matters. A man named Joseph Shorthill was last week arrested for alleged stealing of a horse from D. Strayer, of Conemaugh township, and after acknowledging before Justice Flattery the fact of taken the horse on the 15th of June last, while under the influence of liquor, and leaving him at Wilmore, he was to-day sent up in default of bail to answer the charge of horse stealing.

A number of petty thefts have recently occurred in the neighborhood of Whisky Springs, and no clue to the perpetrator thereof could be found until last week, when, as three ladies were returning late in the evening from town, they saw a light in a house, the occupants of which they knew were absent. Their suspicions being aroused, two of the ladies went on to notify their husbands, while the other remained on watch. When the men arrived the light had been put out, and the depredator was passing through the lot, and as they had their suspicions as to who the thief was, they concealed themselves in the vicinity, and shortly afterwards a woman whom they had long suspected came along, having taken a circuitous route, and in her possession was found a number of articles which she had just purloined. Numerous "mysterious disappearances" were thus accounted for, and the burglarious female will doubtless be sent where she will have time to ruminate upon the bad policy of purloining other people's goods.

Eight cases were confined in the borough lock-up last week, and as only five appeared to be able to raise "three dollars and costs," the other three had to settle down for the period of 72 hours.

A firemen's parade came off on Wednesday evening last. The engine and hose carriage was tastefully decorated, and presented quite a fine appearance. On the return of the company to their hall, occasion was taken to present them with a beautiful silver horn which had been procured by Mr. Geo. Fritz.

Two match games of base ball came off here last week—the first between the Greensburg and Independent clubs, which resulted in victory for the latter, the score standing: Independent, 30; Greensburg, 29. The second was a return game between the Irons and Independents, the victory being with the Irons, after a closely contested game. The score stood in this game—Irons, 49; Independents, 38.

As you apologized last week for a lack of variety, Sku Bal must do the same this week, as absence in pursuit of the 4th, and non-arrival here until too late to hunt up local items for your issue this week, must be his excuse. SKU BAL.

HEMLOCK, JULY 8, 1867.

*Mr. Editor*—The Fourth was celebrated at this point in excellent style. The Pic-Nic gotten up by "mine host" Detling, of the "Miners' Inn," came off splendidly. I repaired to the grounds about the hour of 10 a. m., from which time until about 4 p. m. the neighbors kept regularly arriving, all with smiling countenances, and joined in the festivities. A bountifully furnished table in the grove was surrounded by well pleased and (when they left) well fed guests, whilst the "merry dance" and the invigorating swing were enjoyed to the full extent. My attention was so occupied in watching the various amusements going on around, that it was not until a late hour I visited, at the solicitation of a friend, the "pen" where the lager was dispensed to thirsty applicants. Upon wondering why they had to keep this exhilerating beverage penned up, my friend informed me that it frequently got *wild*. I inquired whether those who drank it did not often imbibe a like disposition to wildness, and he replied that that was altogether a question of quantity. It is exceedingly exhilerating to see them drink this beverage. It (seeing) has quite a rejuvinating effect on those who are waxing elderly. After returning from the "pen" to the dancing ground I experienced a sweet obliviousness of all that had deterred me from taking a hand, or foot rather, in the fantastic performances, and in a few minutes I found myself as vigurously going through "the labyrinthian windings of the mazy dance" as if there was not a gray hair on my head. I also noticed the same effect from the same cause on several other veterans. Very pleasantly did the day pass away, and when all had got their fill, they moved down the hill, past Conrad's mill, with joyous exultation, toward Lilly's Station. Not one upon the road had too big a load, except the horse that hauled the empty lager kegs and about three cords of empty sarsaparilla and mineral water bottle. All appeared exceedingly well pleased, including the getter-up of the entertainment.

*Hymenial*.—Married, on Sunday, June 30th, by Rev. T. Ryan, Summit, Mr. Geo. Leibold and Mrs. Mary, relict of Michael Murphy, dec'd. At the same place, by the same, on Tuesday, 2d inst., Mr. John O'Neill and Miss Kate Biglin. All residents of this township.

*Accidental*.—On the 4th inst., as Mr. John Kelly, residing at Foot of Four, was endeavoring to head a cow, he suddenly fell, having tripped his foot upon some object, and was so unfortunate as to break one of his arms. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. K., as he is a very kind and obliging man, and had the misfortune to meet with an accident about a year ago. Mrs. Jos. Sellers, while walking on the Pa. R. R., a few days ago, became frightened at an approaching train, and springing from the track, fell among some ties, inflicting a severe injury upon one of her arms. No bones were broken, however, and she is now doing well.

*Obituary*.—Died, at her residence in the west end of this township, on the morning of the 6th inst., Mrs. ———, wife of Mr. Philip Biter. Her remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery at Wilmore yesterday. MORDECAI.

THE LATEST AND BEST NEWS is that R. H. Singer, who, upon his entree into our town, reduced the price of horse-shoeing one-third, has determined still to lead the van, and offers to work 10 per cent. lower than the lowest for *cash*, and insures satisfaction. Persons needing fire on their wagons or carriages, can save dollars by giving him their work. "A dollar saved is a dollar gained," and the way to save many of them is to get your blacksmithing done with Mr. Singer, at the west end of town. Mr. S. is also selling I. C. Singer's unequalled Tire and Band Bender—a machine which saves a great amount of time and labor and bends the Tire round and true—of which Wm. Myers, of Altoona, says he would not take $100 and do without. Any amount of testimony just like that can be shown, but the machine is its own best recommendations to a mechanic. Persons wishing to purchase should call on or address R. H. SINGER, Ebensburg.

Territory for sale. For terms address I. C. SINGER, Box 85, Altoona, Pa.

A RARE CHANCE.—Dr. S. S. Christy offers for sale the fine property owned by him, located on Centre street, in this borough. The property consists of a large three story brick building, containing fourteen commodious rooms, with excellant cellar, furnace and all modern conveniences, stable, outhouses, two acres of ground, fruit trees, shrubbery, &c. It is beyond question one of the most complete and desirable residences in Cambria county, and will be sold on fair terms. Application should be made to Dr. S. S. Christy, at this place, or to G. W. Mullin, Cresson.

ROBBERY.—The store of J. Q. Adams, at Belsano, this county, was entered on the night of the 3d inst., and a quantity of ticking, muslin, prints, shoes, hosiery, tobacco, a lot of letters designed for the mail, and a number of other articles, stolen therefrom. The supposed thief is described as about 5 feet 10 inches high, rather fair complected, with black moustache and goatee, and had on a short tailed black coat, yellowish pants and black wool hat. Twenty dollars reward is offered for his apprehension.

A NEW FEATURE.—The establishment of a first-class drug store at Loretto is certainly an epoch in the history of the place, and a convenience to the surrounding country that we trust will be duly appreciated. We commend the enterprise to the patronage of such of our readers as have business intercourse with our sister borough. See advertisement elsewhere.

THE PEOPLE'S VERDICT.—No one need suffer with the Piles. W. W. Bebee, farmer, near Kalamazoo, Mich., says "After suffering intensely with Piles for thirty years, one bottle of Dr. Strickland's Pile Remedy cured me." C. L. Glass, Janesville, Wis., says one bottle cured him and his brother. A. H. Rose, Postmaster, Peru, O., says it cured him in a few days. tc.

It is pleasant to recommend a really meritorious article, hence we ask those suffering from Dyspepsia, Nervousness, or Debility, to try Dr. Strickland's Tonic. Dr. E. M. Sams ordered $4 worth for J. C. Hays, Decatur, Ala. T. Hart, New York City, says "It cured me; where can I get it for my friends?" Thus they write from all quarters. Im.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.—A very valuable property for a public resort can be purchased on the most satisfactory terms, by making application to the editor of the *Freeman*.—We are satisfied that no property more suitable for the purpose can be purchased here or elsewhere.

WM. DORRIS, a prominent citizen of Huntingdon, died on the 1st inst., aged 75 years.

### DIED.

On Wednesday, 3d inst., Mrs. ANNA M. NOEL, wife of Samuel Noel, of Munster township, aged 22 years.


# THOMPSON

STILL AHEAD OF ALL

# COMPETITORS

MORE

# NEW GOODS

JUST RECEIVED AT

THOMPSON'S

# CHEAP STORE!

On High Street.

THE LARGEST STOCK!

THE BEST VARIETY!

THE GREATEST BARGAINS

AND MORE OF THEM!

THAN HAVE BEEN OFFERED HERE

FOR A LONG TIME!

Fine DRESS GOODS

Standard Dry Goods,

SUPERB LINE OF NOTIONS,

FRESH GROCERIES,

AND ALL OTHER GOODS

IN GREAT PROFUSION!

COME and SEE

AND TELL ALL

YOUR FRIENDS!


LAST NOTICE.—The subscriber regrets the necessity which compels him to leave all his notes, books, etc., including the books of E. Glass & Co., up to April 1st, 1865, with a Justice for collection. After the first day of September next this will be done. R. L. JOHNSTON.
Ebensburg, July 11, 1867.

CAUTION.—Whereas my wife, THERESSA, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby notify all persons not to trust or harbor her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting.
LAWRENCE STITZELBERGER.
Carroll Tp., July 11, 1867.-3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—And now, 12th June, 1867, F. A. Shoemaker appointed Auditor to report distribution of funds in the hands of Catharine Dougherty, Adm'x of John Dougherty, late of Chest tp., dec'd, as shown in her first and final account.
By the Court. Extract from the Record.
[SEAL.] JAMES GRIFFIN, Clerk.

In pursuance of the above appointment, I will attend to the duties thereof at my office in Ebensburg, on Monday the 5th day of August next, at 1 o'clock P. M., when and where those interested can attend.
F. A. SHOEMAKER, Auditor.
July 11, 1867.-3t.

SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of a writ of *Vend. Expon.* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House, in Ebensburg, on Saturday the 27th day of July, inst., at 1 o'clock P. M., the following Real Estate, to wit:

All the right, title and interest of John M'Entyre, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situate in Clearfield township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of Thomas Adams, John Carl, and others, containing fifty-eight acres, more or less, about twenty-five acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one story log house and log barn, now in the occupancy of the said John M'Entyre.

Taken into execution and to be sold at the suit of John H. Douglass, for use of John Wagner. JAMES MYERS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, July 9, 1867.

ORDINANCE of the Borough of Carrolltown, passed at a meeting of the Town Council, held July 6th, 1867:

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the Council of the Borough of Carrolltown, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same*, That from and after the date of this Ordinance any person or persons fighting within the limits of said Borough, shall, upon conviction thereof before the Burgess or acting Burgess, be fined in a sum not less than five nor more than ten dollars each, and the costs of such conviction.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That any person guilty of drunkenness, disorderly, boisterous or unruly conduct, or gross misbehavior, shall be subject to a penalty, upon conviction thereof before the Burgess or acting Burgess, of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars, and the costs of such conviction. And any person guilty of swearing, or using loud blasphemous or obscene language in public, within the limits of said Borough, shall be subject, upon conviction, to a like penalty.

SEC. 3. On any day of public excitement, or on any day likely to attract large or unusual crowds or unruly persons to the Borough, the Burgess shall have full power to appoint as many policemen, for the preservation of the peace, as he may deem necessary—such policemen to receive such compensation as may be allowed in the discretion of the Burgess. And, further, any inn, tavern or saloon keeper making a public dance or ball, shall, at his request, have a policeman stationed at such public dance or ball, for the preservation of peace and good order—said policeman to be paid by the party or parties making such dance or ball, and to receive two dollars and fifty cents for the day and three dollars for each night so employed. D. C. WETZEL, Burgess.
Attest—J. E. MAUCHER, Clerk. ju.11-3t

LOOK OUT FOR BARGAINS!—Being desirous of retiring from business, I offer for sale the *Ebensburg Foundry*, with all its appurtenances, including all the real and personal property thereto belonging, the engine, patterns, flasks, &c. Also, all the stock, manufactured and unmanufactured, consisting of Threshing Machines, Cooking Stoves, Parlor Stoves, Plows and Castings of various kinds. As I am determined to sell, purchasers may rely upon getting any or all the above named articles cheaper than they can be had anywhere else in Pennsylvania. The public are invited to call and judge for themselves.
July 4, 1867.-6m. E. GLASS.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Cambria county to distribute the fund in the hands of John A. Blair, Adm'r of the estate of Mary Clementa, dec'd, hereby notifies all persons interested that he will attend to the duties of said appointment, at his office in Ebensburg, on Saturday, the 3d day of August next, at 2 o'clock P. M., when and where they must present their claims, or be debarred from coming in for a share of the fund.
GEO. W. OATMAN, Auditor.
July 4, 1867.-3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Cambria county to report the distribution of the funds in the hands of Robert H. Singer, Trustee to sell the real estate of Dennis Dougherty, late of Allegheny township, dec'd, hereby notifies all persons interested that he will attend to the duties of said appointment, at his office in Ebensburg, on Friday, the 2d day of August next, at 2 o'clock P.M., when and where they must present their claims, or be debarred from coming in for a share of the fund.
GEO. W. OATMAN, Auditor.
July 4, 1867.-3t.

DR. T. F. M'CLURE, SURGEON DENTIST, Carrolltown, Cambria Co., Pa. Teeth inserted on Gold, Silver, Vulcanite, Cheoplastic, &c. ☞Professional visits made to Chest Springs the first week and to Loretto the second week of each month.
Carrolltown, July 4, 1867.-6m.42*

## LATE NEWS ITEMS.

—William Ward, an engineer on a Wisconsin railroad, saved the life of a child a few days since by jumping off and seizing it just as the train was about to pass over it.

—Kansas is unfortunate. Lucy Stone and others of her type have been scouring the State, and had no sooner left, than devouring swarms of grasshoppers pitched upon it.

—The people of New London, Conn., are excited by a report that Captain Silas Buchanan and wife, and Riley West of that city, supposed to have been lost at sea fifteen years ago, are alive on a Pacific Island.

—It appears that infanticide prevails to a great extent among the freed negroes. In Columbia, Mississippi, nine babies were found in one well. Is this what Sheridan means when he says "the freedmen are doing *well* enough?"

—The Clover Hill coal mines, in Virginia, which were the scenes of such terrible explosions recently, will soon be in working order. The fire has been extinguished, and the preparations to resume work are being made rapidly.

—Young Surratt seems to have the whole of the Mongrel Congress, all the Mongrel newspapers and a considerable portion of the thieves and jail-birds about Washington, engaged in a "conspiracy" to hang him. It seems to be a popular idea with the Mongrel party, that it is necessary to hang the son to justify the murder of the mother.

—Niagara Falls is to be excited over a female Blondin before many days, in the person of M'dle Rosa Celeste, whose thrilling feats in rope walking in California have excelled those of Blondin. Mr. De Young, her agent, is at Niagara Falls, making the necessary arrangements for M'dle Celeste, who intends walking a rope stretched across the river below the Falls. The walking will take place as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. This daring feat will no doubt call out a large attendance.

—Samuel Cope, formerly a resident of the Quaker City, and a man of wealth, committed suicide in the township of Falls, Bucks county, Pa., a short time ago, by taking laudanum. He was a morose, melancholy man. The suicide of Preston King, which was induced by remorse consequent upon his rough refusal to permit Miss Annie Surratt to intercede with the President for the life of her mother, made a deep impression upon Cope's morbid feelings, and was the frequent subject of conversation.

—Dye, the witness who was troubled with dreams, and who remembered Surratt's face because he had "frequently seen it in sleep," it appears was arrested in Philadelphia in the early part of the present year for passing counterfeit money. Cleaver, another witness, has been lately convicted for rape and murder, and is now at large on bail awaiting a new trial. Hobart and Blinn, other witnesses, have contradicted outside what they said in court, and the negro wench who said she saw Surratt at his mother's house on the evening of the assassination saw him but a few minutes, and had never seen him before or since, until confronted with him in court.

—A singular circumstance happened at Wellsburg, West Virginia, on Monday, 17th, about midday. At that hour a bright blaze was discovered rising from the roof of Marks' cabinet shop, which was quenched without any alarm being given; and on the spot Mr. Marks found a piece of material about the size of a saucer, resembling lava, or the substance that escapes from the furnaces, cellular, sulphurous to the smell, and not very heavy, which he threw on the pavement, burning his fingers in the act. The blaze was undoubtedly caused by this substance, and the mystery is—what is it, and how did it get there? There was no fire in the shop, or any place near, from which it could have found its way upon the roof, and the general opinion is that the substance is an aerolite, and came hissing hot from the atmospheric regions. The specimen is preserved as a curiosity.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters Testamentary on the estate of Francis Glosser, late of Chest township, Cambria county, dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of said county, all persons having claims against said estate will please present them duly authenticated for settlement, and those indebted to the same are hereby requested to come forward and make payment.

PAUL YORNER, Executor.
Chest Township, June 18, 1867.–6t.

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JOSEPH ZOLNER, JR.,
Watchmaker and Jeweler
Has taken the room on High street, opposite the Mountain House, recently occupied by R. J. Lloyd as a Drug Store. Watches and Jewelry repaired on short notice and at the lowest rates, and all work warranted.
Ebensburg, May 23, 1867.

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ENCOURAGE HOME INDUSTRY!

F. SHARRETTS DYSERT,
House, Sign and Ornamental Painter,
Graining, Glazing, Paper Hanging, and all other work in his line, promptly executed, and satisfaction guaranteed. Shop in the basement of the Town Hall.
Ebensburg, May 9, 1867. 6m.*

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GOOD TRUNKS AND VALISES, For sale low at G. HUNTLEY'S.

## GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

QUICK SALES,
QUICK SALES,
QUICK SALES,
AND SMALL PROFITS,
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GURLEY'S NEW CHEAP STORE,
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The Largest Stock of Goods. The Best Selected and the Greatest Variety ever brought to Town.

LARGEST, CHEAPEST AND BEST,
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LARGEST, CHEAPEST AND BEST,
GO AND SEE.
GO AND SEE.
GO AND SEE.

The subscriber calls the attention of the public to the fact, that he has just received and opened out in his New Store, a large stock of goods, consisting of

FLOUR, CORN MEAL, CHOP FEED, Bran, Fish, Bacon and Cheese; Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Molasses, Spices, Tobacco, Cigars, Candles, Soap, Vinegar, &c., &c.

NOTIONS, DRUGS, PERFUMERY, Stoneware and Earthenware. ALSO, a fine assortment of the best and latest style of Hats. He always keeps constantly on hand Bologna Sausages, Sardines, Fresh and Spiced Oysters in can, or half cans, and almost everything in the eating or drinking line. All of which will be sold at small profit.

GEO. GURLEY,
MAIN STREET, EBENSBURG, PA.
January 31, 1867.

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IMPORTANT TO EVERYBODY.

A "NEW WRINKLE" IN EBENSBURG!

JOHN D. THOMAS

Takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Ebensburg and the north of the county generally, that he has recently added to his stock a large and complete assortment of SHOES, BUSKINS, GAITERS, &c., *For Ladies' and Children's Wear*, from the celebrated wholesale manufacturing establishment of Ziegler & Sutton, Philadelphia. This stock comprises everything that is desirable and serviceable in the way of *custom-made sewed work*, and every article is warranted of the best material and most perfect manufacture. In the sale of these goods the subscriber pledges himself to repair free of charge any article that may give way after a reasonable time and reasonable usage. The ladies are specially invited to call and examine the stock.

The subscriber also keeps on hand and is prepared to manufacture to order BOOTS and SHOES for Gent's and Youth's wear, of the very best material and workmanship, and at prices as reasonable as like work can be obtained anywhere. French Calf, Common Calf, Morocco and all other kinds of Leather constantly on hand.

☞ Store on Main street, next door to Crawford's Hotel. [feb21-tf.

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HOLLIDAYSBURG!

JACOB M. PIRCHER,
FASHIONABLE
CLOTHIER & TAILOR,
Has just opened a full assortment of well selected and most desirable
SPRING & SUMMER GOODS.

Gents and Boys furnished with CLOTHING, HATS, SHOES, &c., of the latest styles and best material, at the *LOWEST CASH PRICES*.

A VARIETY OF PIECE GOODS, which will be sold by the yard or made to order in the most approved manner.

Having given full satisfaction to his customers for more than TWENTY-FIVE YEARS, he guarantees the same to all who may favor him with their patronage in the future.

☞ Store on the west side of Montgomery street, below Blair, next door to Masonic Hall, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [my23.1y.]

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TO THE LADIES OF EBENSBURG AND VICINITY.—Having recently arrived from the city with a handsome assortment of *Spring and Summer Millinery and Straw Goods*, of the latest styles, comprising *Bonnets, Silks and Velvets*, fine *French Flowers*, an assortment of *Ribbons*, all widths and colors, Ladies' plain and fancy *Dress Caps*, Infants' Silk and Embroidered *Caps*, together with Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Hosiery, Gloves, Ladies' and Gent's fine Linen Handkerchiefs, &c., we invite the ladies of Ebensburg and surrounding districts to call and examine our stock, in the store room formerly occupied by E. Hughes, below the Mountain House.

We have a fashionable milliner of excellent taste, who will pay particular attention to bleaching, pressing and altering Hats and Bonnets to the latest styles.

MRS. J. DOYLE,
April 25-3m. MISS M. RUSH.

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JAMES H. DAVIS,
Dealer in all kinds of
POPLAR, CHERRY & ASH LUMBER,
*Yard Nos.* 314 *and* 316 *N. Broad St.*,
PHILADELPHIA.
☞ Business attended to in Ebensburg by Wm. J. Williams. [my16-1y]

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FRANK W. HAY,
WHOLESALE and RETAIL Manufacturer of TIN, COPPER and SHEET-IRON WARE, *Canal street*, below Clinton, *Johnstown, Pa.* A large stock constantly hand.

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POCKET KNIVES, TABLE KNIVES and Forks, Spoons, &c., can be bought cheap for cash at GEO. HUNTLEY'S.

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BARGAINS can be had by buying your goods for cash at
Feb. 28. GEO. HUNTLEY'S.

## HOTELS.

GRANT HOUSE,
Hemlock, Cambria Co., Pa.
*JOHN WILKIN, Proprietor.*

This House has been refitted, and offers accommodations superior to any other House in the vicinity. The Proprietor, after long experience in the business, feels confident he understands the wants of the public. His TABLE will be supplied with the delicacies of the season and his BAR with the choicest wines and liquors. By constant attention and due care for the comfort of his guests the Proprietor hopes to merit a liberal share of patronage. [may16-1y.]

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SCOTT HOUSE,
*Main Street, Johnstown, Cambria Co., Pa.*
A. ROW & CO., Proprietors.

THIS HOUSE having been refitted and elegantly furnished, is now open for the reception and entertainment of guests. The proprietors by long experience in hotel keeping feel confident they can satisfy a discriminating public.

Their Bar is supplied with the choicest brands of liquors and wines.
Jan. 31, 1867. (1y.)

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UNION HOUSE,

EBENSBURG, Pa., JOHN A. BLAIR, Propietor, spares no pains to render this hotel worthy of a continuation of the liberal patronage it has heretofore received. His table will always be furnished with the best the market affords; his bar with the best of liquors.—His stable is large, and will be attended by an attentive and obliging hostler. Jan 31, 1867.-tf.

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MOUNTAIN HOUSE, EBENSBURG.
R. P. LINTON & CO., Prop'rs.

The TABLE is always supplied with the choicest delicacies; the BAR is supplied with choice liquors, and the STABLE attended by careful hostlers. Transient visitors accommodated and boarders taken by the week, month or year, on reasonable terms. feb21

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SHIELDS HOUSE,
*LORETTO, CAMBRIA COUNTY, PA.*,
THOMAS CALLEN, Proprietor.

THIS house is now open for the accommodation of the public. Accommodations as good as the country will afford, and charges moderate. Jan 31, 1867.-tf.

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MERCHANTS' HOTEL.
J. & W. C. M'KIBBIN, Proprietors.
*Fourth St., between Market and Arch,*
May 9, 1867.-1y. PHILADELPHIA.

## BANK NOTICES.

WM. M. LLOYD, *President.* JOHN LLOYD, *Cashier.*

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALTOONA.
GOVERNMENT AGENCY
AND
DESIGNATED DEPOSITORY OF THE UNITED STATES.
*Corner Virginia and Annie Streets, North Ward, Altoona, Pa.*

Authorized Capital, - - - - - $300,000
Cash Capital paid in, - - - - - 150,000

All business pertaining to Banking done on favorable terms

Internal Revenue Stamps of all denominations, always on hand.

To purchasers of Stamps, percentage, in stamps, will be allowed, as follows:
$50 to $100, 2 per cent.; $100 to $200, 3 per cent.; $200 and upwards, 4 per cent.
Jan. 31, 1867-tf.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK
OF JOHNSTOWN, CAMBRIA CO., PA.
Capital, $50,000.—Privilege to Increase to $100,000.

Inland and Foreign Drafts furnished.
Gold and Silver bought and sold.
Collections made, at home and abroad.
U. S. Bonds and Securities of all kind obtained.
Deposits received and money loaned.
A general Banking business transacted.

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D. J. Morrell, | George Fritz,
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Jacob M. Campbell, | E. Y. Townsend,
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D. J. MORRELL, *Pres't.*
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JOHNSTON & SCANLAN,
Attorneys at Law,
Ebensburg, Cambria co., Pa.
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Ebensburg, Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Johnstown, Pa.*—Office in the Exchange building, on the Corner of Clinton and Locust streets—up stairs. Will attend to all business connected with his profession.
Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

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JOHN P. LINTON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Johnstown, Pa.*—Office in building on corner of Main and Franklin street, opposite Mansion House, second floor. Entrance on Franklin street.
Johnstown, Jan. 31, 1867. tf.

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F. A. SHOEMAKER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office on High street, one door East of the Banking House of Lloyd & Co.
January 31, 1867.-tf.

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W. H. SECHLER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.* Office in the Commissioners' Room, Court House. Jan. 31, '67-tf.

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F. P. TIERNEY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office in Colonade Row.
Jan. 5, 1867-tf.

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JOSEPH M'DONALD,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office on Centre street, opposite Moore's Hotel. [Jan. 31, 1867-tf

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JOHN FENLON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg Pa.*—Office on High street, adjoining his residence. Jan 31, 1867.-tf.

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GEORGE M. REED,

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GEORGE W. OATMAN,

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January 31, 1867.-tf.

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Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

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